



# Timber Beach

(Darkinjung & Guringai Country)

 20 min to 40 min

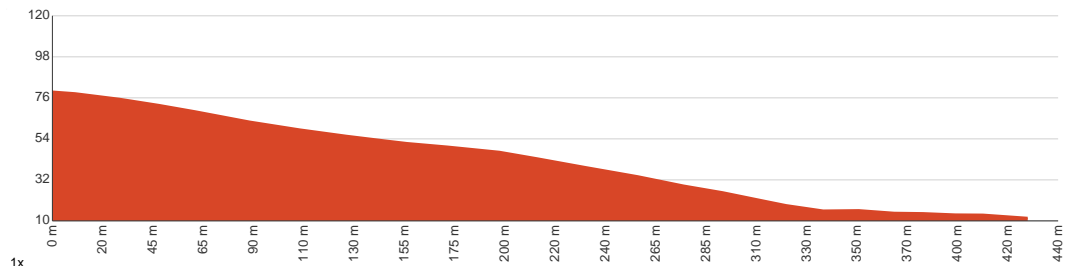
  
850 m  
Return

  
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Hard track



Timber Beach is a secluded beach in Munmorah State Conservation Area. The walk starts from a short side road off Snapper Point Rd, at Timber Beach Lookout. From here, the walk follows an eroded track down the ridge, then bends left to cross a clearing and come to the back of Timber Beach. The beach is surrounded by rock walls and is quite small, especially at high tide. A lovely quiet spot to visit. Let us begin by acknowledging the Darkinjung & Guringai people, Traditional Custodians of the land on which we travel today, and pay our respects to their Elders past and present.



Class 4 of 6 Rough track, where fallen trees and other obstacles are likely	
<b>Quality of track</b>	Rough track, where fallen trees and other obstacles are likely (4/6)
<b>Gradient</b>	Very steep (4/6)
<b>Signage</b>	Minimal directional signs (4/6)
<b>Infrastructure</b>	Limited facilities, not all cliffs are fenced (3/6)
<b>Experience Required</b>	Moderate level of bushwalking experience recommended (4/6)
<b>Weather</b>	Storms may impact on navigation and safety (3/6)

**Getting to the start:** From Pacific Highway, A43

- Turn on to Blue Wern Drive then drive for 1.7 km
- Turn left onto Campbell Drive and drive for another 670 m
- Continue onto Campbell Drive and drive for another 1.5 km
- Turn slight left onto Campbell Drive and drive for another 2.1 km
- Keep left and drive for another 70 m
- Turn left and drive for another 45 m

**Before you start any journey ensure you;**

- Tell someone you trust where you are going and what to do if you are late returning
- Have adequate equipment, supplies, skills & knowledge to undertake this journey safely
- Consider weather forecasts, park/track closures & fire dangers
- Can respond to emergencies & call for help at any point
- Are healthy and fit enough for this journey

If not, change plans and stay safe. It is okay to delay and ask people for help.

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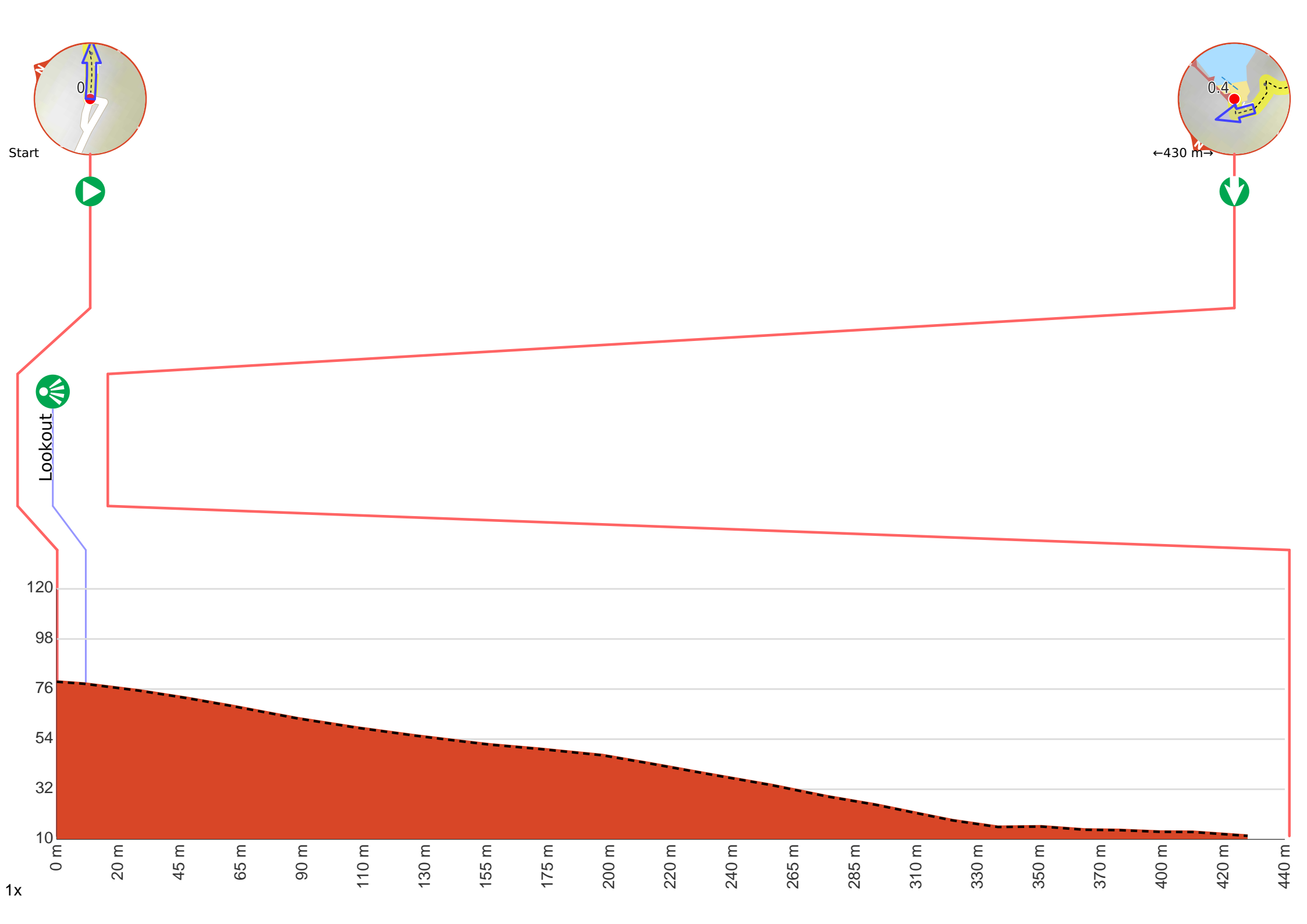


Moonee Beach Track

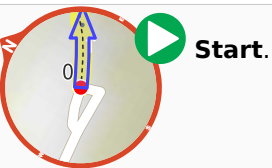
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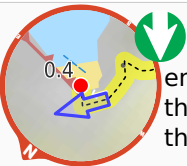
**Getting started:** From the north-eastern corner of the car park, this walk heads between the timber posts and follows the eroded track downhill, heading towards Flat Island (the low headland to the north-east). The track leads down, following the top of the ridge and, after about 160m, turns left. After a further 170m, the walk comes to a clearing, where it follows the track just to the left for another 60m before coming to the rocky gully behind Timber Beach.



Find the Timber Beach Lookout at the start.



Timber Beach Lookout is found at the end of a small side road, about 470m from the start of the dirt road on Snapper Point Rd. The unsignposted lookout is in the corner of the car park and looks north-east. Ironically, there is no view of Timber Beach, but good views over the top of the bay to Ghosties Beach and Flat Island.



Continue another 420 m to find the end. Then turn around here and retrace the main route for 430 m to get back to the start.



About 200 m past the end is a cave.



"Timber Beach".



Timber Beach is a small, narrow and sandy beach wedged between three cliffs. The beach faces south-east and is accessed by a track from Timber Beach lookout. Access to the actual beach requires climbing down a several metre high, slippery rock wall, where the track meets the apex of the beach. The small secluded beach is a lovely place to enjoy the ocean and the carved rock formation.